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In regards to the application of: **Tamer Uluaker, J. Timothy Hale and Andrew G. Labrot, Jr.**
Serial No.: 09/732,663
Filed: December 8, 2000
FOR: A METHOD OF COMPONENT-BASED SYSTEMS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the following:

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| _____ | Patent Application (____ pgs.) and Drawings (____ pgs); |
| <u>X</u> | Request for Extension of Time (One - Month) to File Missing Parts; |
| <u>X</u> | Declaration and Power of Attorney (<i>signed</i>); |
| <u>X</u> | Verification of Small Entity Status by Inventor (<i>signed</i>); |
| <u>X</u> | Substitute Drawings for Figures 1 through 12; |
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X Our Check No. 342162 is also enclosed to cover, among other items, the above filing fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:
J. Timothy Hale, Andrew G. Labrot JR
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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